in Cannanore Municipal limits and requesting the formation of a separate village panchayat for the whole area; and if so, the action taken thereon?

THE HON. SRI K. RAJARAM :—" The petition has been received. Certain other petitions also have been received protesting against the inclusion of the areas in question, among others, in the Cannanore Municipality. The matter is under consideration."

SRI M. NARAYANA KURUP :—" Are the Government aware of the fact that the boundaries of any municipality are extended or contracted to suit party politics of the majority party of the municipality? "

THE HON. SRI K. RAJARAM :—" No, Sir. We are not aware of such things."

Allotment of stalls to petty vendors on the southern side of Subhas Chandra Bose Road.

11-30 a.m. * 69 *Q.*—SRI A. RATNAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state whether the Government directed the Corporation of Madras and the Commissioner of Police. Madras. that the petty vendors should be allotted stalls on the footpaths on the southern side of Subhas Chandra Bose Road on the representation of the merchants on the northern side of the road?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" The answer is in the affirmative, the object being to enable these petty vendors to ply their trade legally and without inconvenience to the public."

SRI A. RATNAM :—" சுபாஸ் சந்திரபோஸ் ரோடு தென்புரத்திற்கு வடபுரத்திலிருந்து கடைகளை மாற்றியிருக்கின்றனர். கார்பரேஷன் 4 சதுர அடி விகிதம் 15 கடைகளுக்கு வர்டகை வாங்குகிறார்கள், சிறு கடைக்காரர்களுக்கு துன்பம் நீங்கி இருக்கிறதா இந்த முறையினால் ? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" It involves four or five questions, Sir. A separate question may be put."

Madras Last Grade Service.

* 70 *Q.*—SRI K. ARANGANATHAN : Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Government have considered the question of changing the words " Inferior Government Servants " as mentioned in the Hon. Minister's reply to starred question No. 263-F as page 666 of the official report of the Madras Legislative Assembly Debates, dated 1st April 1953; and

(*b*) if so, what are the suitable words found out?

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" (*a*) & (*b*) Yes, Sir. The Government have changed the nomenclature of the ' Madras Inferior Service ' into the ' Madras Last Grade Service ' and the members of that service are referred to as ' Last Grade Government Servants '."